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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants : Steven A. Boyd, et al.  
Application No. : 10/593,911  
Filing Date : May 11, 2007  
For : THIOALKENEAMIDES AS TRANSKETOLASE  
INHIBITORS  
Group Art Unit : 1624  
Examiner : Brian E. McDowell

Commissioner for Patents  
Mailstop: Amendment  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Applicant respectfully requests a one-month extension of time for filing a response to the Office Action of November 13, 2009. The extended deadline expires after January 13, 2010.

A check in the amount of \$65.00 is enclosed. Small entity status continues to apply to this application. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees due in connection with this communication, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 04-0838.

Dated: 12/31/09

Respectfully submitted,  
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